

Metropolitan Milwaukee Association of Commerce

Legislative Bills/Resolutions

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 1

Relating to: limiting noneconomic damages awarded in actions against long-term care providers; actions against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of certain products; confidentiality of health care services reviews; use as evidence of info...



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 2

Relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain amounts relating to health savings accounts that may be deducted from, or are exempt from, federal income taxes.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 5

Relating to: requiring a supermajority for passage of tax increase legislation.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 9

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 6

Relating to: creation of an authority, to be known as the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation, and making appropriations.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/28/2011



Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 8

Relating to: the authority of a state agency to promulgate rules interpreting the provisions of a statute enforced or administered by the agency and to implement or enforce any standard, requirement, or threshold as a term or condition of a license issued ...



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 21

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 11

Relating to: state finances, collective bargaining for public employees, compensation and fringe benefits of public employees, the state civil service system, the Medical Assistance program, sale of certain facilities, granting bonding authority, and makin...



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/18/2011



Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 10

January 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 14

Relating to: regulation of telecommunications utilities and alternative telecommunications utilities; telecommunications provider of last-resort obligations; telecommunications intrastate switched access rates; interconnected voice over Internet protocol s...



For

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011



Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 1

Relating to: limiting noneconomic damages awarded in actions against long-term care providers; actions against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of certain products; confidentiality of health care services reviews; use as evidence of info...



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 2

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 2

Relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain amounts relating to health savings accounts that may be deducted from, or are exempt from, federal income taxes.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 1

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 5

Relating to: requiring a supermajority for passage of tax increase legislation.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/24/2011



Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 6

Relating to: creation of an authority, to be known as the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation, and making appropriations.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/28/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 7

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 8

Relating to: the authority of a state agency to promulgate rules interpreting the provisions of a statute enforced or administered by the agency and to implement or enforce any standard, requirement, or threshold as a term or condition of a license issued ...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/24/2011

Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 11

Relating to: state finances, collective bargaining for public employees, compensation and fringe benefits of public employees, the state civil service system, the Medical Assistance program, sale of certain facilities, granting bonding authority, and makin...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/18/2011

Bill Text and History

January 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 13

Relating to: regulation of telecommunications utilities and alternative telecommunications utilities; telecommunications provider of last-resort obligations; telecommunications intrastate switched access rates; interconnected voice over Internet protocol s...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 5/2/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 22

Assembly Bill 1

Relating to: processing refunds for the jobs tax credit.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/24/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 88

Assembly Bill 2

Relating to: authorizing the designation of additional enterprise zones and requiring the designation of enterprise zones in rural areas.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/28/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 26

Assembly Bill 3

Relating to: tax incentives for job creation, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/28/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 6

Relating to: restoring the treatment of the exclusion of capital gains for individuals and certain other persons that existed before the enactment of 2009 Wisconsin Act 28, and phasing out the taxation of capital gains.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/28/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 20

Relating to: allowing refunds for the early stage seed and angel investment tax credits and making an appropriation.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 36

Relating to: eliminating authorization to create a regional transit authority, dissolving any existing regional transit authority and the Southeastern Regional Transit Authority, and eliminating the Southeast Wisconsin transit capital assistance program.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/28/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 37

Relating to: authorizing the City of Milwaukee to sell city-owned property used for school purposes.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/9/2011

Bill Text and History

Assembly Bill 41

Relating to: preemption of city, village, town, or county ordinances requiring employers to provide employees with leave from employment to deal with

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 3/10/2011

family, medical, or health issues.

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 51

Relating to: creating a Charter School Authorizing Board, providing additional charter school authorizers, eliminating the limit on the number of pupils who may attend virtual charter schools, modifying teacher licensure requirements, eliminating the limit...



For

Original Reporting Date: 3/21/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)


Assembly Bill 53

Relating to: authorizing the creation of additional enterprise zones.



For

Original Reporting Date: 3/25/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 70

Relating to: changes to the membership of the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, notification to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board of bills with an economic impact on small businesses, the role of the Office of Regulatory Assistance in the De...



For

Original Reporting Date: 5/19/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 92

Relating to: eliminating the enrollment cap for the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program and extending the program to permit private schools located in Milwaukee County to participate.



For

Original Reporting Date: 4/19/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 94

Relating to: the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program.



For

Original Reporting Date: 4/19/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 110

Relating to: creating the Special Needs Scholarship Program for disabled pupils, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.



For

Original Reporting Date: 4/27/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 112

Relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for tuition expenses paid for dependents who attend private elementary and secondary schools.



For

Original Reporting Date: 5/18/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 129

Relating to: creation of the Wisconsin Venture Capital Authority, creation of the badger jobs fund and the jobs now fund certification program, both of which are to be administered by the Wisconsin Venture Capital Authority, making an appropriation, and pr...



For

Original Reporting Date: 5/18/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 145

Relating to: authorizing the Public Service Commission to approve temporary electric rates to promote economic development.



For

Original Reporting Date: 5/20/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 146

Relating to: use of renewable resource credits to comply with renewable portfolio standards.



For

Original Reporting Date: 5/20/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 159

Relating to: the regulation of indirect sources of air pollution and the suspension of a rule promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/16/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 171

Relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for qualified production activities income.



For

Original Reporting Date: 8/25/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Assembly Bill 173

Relating to: local ordinances, determining the lawful presence of a person arrested for or charged with a crime or certain civil violations, and providing a penalty.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 7/5/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 220**

Relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for workplace wellness programs, granting rule-making authority, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 8/25/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 280**

Relating to: exempting from income taxation certain employer-paid fringe benefits for mass transit expenses.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 286**

Relating to: permitting an employer to refuse to employ or to bar or terminate from employment an individual who has been convicted of a felony and who has not been pardoned for that felony and preempting cities, villages, towns, and counties from adopting...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 324**

Relating to: preaccreditation and accreditation of private schools participating in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program and the choice program for eligible school districts, certificates of occupancy for participating private school buildings, verificati...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 329**

Relating to: renaming the office of county treasurer in Milwaukee County, creating the elective office of county comptroller for Milwaukee County, transferring the duties of the Milwaukee County treasurer to that elective office, and expanding the duties a...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/24/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 426**

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/25/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 447**

Relating to: authorizing a school board to grant a vocational high school diploma.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 12/29/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 473**

Relating to: delaying the restrictions on participation by the University of Wisconsin System in selling or providing telecommunications services.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 1/17/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 526**

Relating to: loans and repayment assistance by a political subdivision for energy and water improvements to premises and collection of the debt by special charge.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/7/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Bill 558**

Relating to: the governor's read to lead development fund, the Read to Lead Development Council, grants in support of literacy and early childhood development programs, teacher licensure, screening kindergarten pupils for reading readiness, remedial readin...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 2/25/2012[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Joint Resolution 31**

Relating to: creation of a department of transportation, creation of a transportation fund, and deposit of funds into the transportation fund (first consideration).

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 4/25/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Assembly Joint Resolution 100****For**

Relating to: accounting and expenditure of state funds and reduction of deficit (first consideration).

 **Original Reporting Date:** 2/14/2012
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 3

Relating to: tax incentives for job creation, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 1/28/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 4

Relating to: authorizing the designation of additional enterprise zones and requiring the designation of enterprise zones in rural areas.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 1/28/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 5

Relating to: processing refunds for the jobs tax credit.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 1/28/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)


Senate Bill 8

Relating to: conforming the state family and medical leave law to the federal family and medical leave law and granting rule-making authority.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 1/28/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)



Senate Bill 20

Relating to: authorizing the City of Milwaukee to sell city-owned property used for school purposes.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 3/1/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)
 [2011 Wisconsin Act 17](#)

Senate Bill 22

Relating to: creating a Charter School Authorizing Board, providing additional charter school authorizers, eliminating the limit on the number of pupils who may attend virtual charter schools, modifying teacher licensure requirements, eliminating the limit...

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 3/1/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 23

Relating to: preemption of city, village, town, or county ordinances requiring employers to provide employees with leave from employment to deal with family, medical, or health issues.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 3/1/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)
 [2011 Wisconsin Act 16](#)

Senate Bill 25

Relating to: eliminating authorization to create a regional transit authority, dissolving any existing regional transit authority and the Southeastern Regional Transit Authority, and eliminating the Southeast Wisconsin transit capital assistance program.

 **Against**
Original Reporting Date: 3/1/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)



Senate Bill 39

Relating to: grants to regional economic development entities by the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 3/21/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 47

Relating to: changes to the membership of the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, notification to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board of bills with an economic impact on small businesses, the role of the Office of Regulatory Assistance in the De...

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 5/18/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)
 [2011 Wisconsin Act 46](#)

Senate Bill 69

Relating to: creating a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for tuition expenses paid for dependents who attend private elementary and secondary schools.

 **For**
Original Reporting Date: 4/25/2011
 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 94

Relating to: creation of the Wisconsin Venture Capital Authority, creation of the badger jobs fund and the jobs now fund certification program, both of which are to be administered by the Wisconsin Venture Capital Authority, making an appropriation, and pr...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 5/18/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 102**

Relating to: authorizing the Public Service Commission to approve temporary electric rates to promote economic development.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 111**

Relating to: the regulation of indirect sources of air pollution and the suspension of a rule promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 1/16/2012[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 121](#)**Senate Bill 123**

Relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for qualified production activities income.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 8/25/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 137**

Relating to: making companies that hire persons who are not legally in the United States ineligible for certain tax exemptions, governmental contracts, grants, and loans, granting rule-making authority, and providing penalties.

**Against****Original Reporting Date:** 7/5/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 164**

Relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for workplace wellness programs, granting rule-making authority, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 8/25/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 171**

Relating to: exempting from income taxation certain employer-paid fringe benefits for mass transit expenses.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 202**

Relating to: elimination of compensatory and punitive damages for acts of employment discrimination or unfair honesty or genetic testing.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/19/2011[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 219](#)**Senate Bill 207**

Relating to: permitting an employer to refuse to employ or to bar or terminate from employment an individual who has been convicted of a felony and who has not been pardoned for that felony and preempting cities, villages, towns, and counties from adopting...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)**Senate Bill 234**

Relating to: preaccreditation and accreditation of private schools participating in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program and the choice program for eligible school districts, certificates of occupancy for participating private school buildings, verificati...

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 47](#)**Senate Bill 259**

Relating to: creating the office of county comptroller for Milwaukee County.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 11/1/2011[Bill Text and History](#)[2011 Wisconsin Act 62](#)**Senate Bill 275**

Relating to: membership of technical college district boards.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 12/9/2011[Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 292

Relating to: reporting of the principal place of employment of certain individuals who make political contributions.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/12/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 335

Relating to: authorizing a school board to grant a vocational high school diploma.



For

Original Reporting Date: 12/12/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 156

Senate Bill 360

Relating to: the minimum sale price of prescription drugs.



For

Original Reporting Date: 1/12/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 375

Relating to: delaying the restrictions on participation by the University of Wisconsin System in selling or providing telecommunications services.



Against

Original Reporting Date: 1/17/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 425

Relating to: loans and repayment assistance by a political subdivision for energy and water improvements to premises and collection of the debt by special charge.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/7/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

 2011 Wisconsin Act 138

Senate Bill 486

Relating to: creating the Special Needs Scholarship Program for disabled pupils, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/20/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)

Senate Bill 488

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, procedures for obtaining approvals from the Department of Natural Resources for the construction of utility facilities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties.



For

Original Reporting Date: 2/25/2012

 [Bill Text and History](#)


September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 6

Relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to excluding from an employee's income certain payments from an employer related to medical care.



For

Original Reporting Date: 10/28/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 12

Relating to: factors for determining the reasonableness of attorney fees.



For

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 13

Relating to: providing immunity from liability to drug and device manufacturers and sellers under certain circumstances.



For

Original Reporting Date: 10/15/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 14

Relating to: interest rates on judgments in certain civil actions.



For

Original Reporting Date: 10/17/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 18

Relating to: authorizing a school board to grant a vocational high school diploma.



For

Original Reporting Date: 10/19/2011

 [Bill Text and History](#)

September 2011 Special Session Assembly Bill 19

Relating to: exempting from income taxation certain employer-paid fringe benefits for mass transit expenses.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 5

Relating to: an income and franchise tax credit for workplace wellness programs, granting rule-making authority, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 6

Relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to excluding from an employee's income certain payments from an employer related to medical care.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 12

Relating to: factors for determining the reasonableness of attorney fees.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 92

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 13

Relating to: providing immunity from liability to drug and device manufacturers and sellers under certain circumstances.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 14

Relating to: interest rates on judgments in certain civil actions.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/17/2011

Bill Text and History



2011 Wisconsin Act 69

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 18

Relating to: authorizing a school board to grant a vocational high school diploma.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/19/2011

Bill Text and History

September 2011 Special Session Senate Bill 19

Relating to: exempting from income taxation certain employer-paid fringe benefits for mass transit expenses.

**For****Original Reporting Date:** 10/15/2011

Bill Text and History

Budget Bill Subjects

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Commerce

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
General Fund Taxes

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Health Services: Medical Assistance and Related Programs

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: Categorical Aids

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: Choice and Charter

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Public Instruction: General School Aids and Revenue Limits

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Transportation: State Highways

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Biennial budget bill treatment of matter relating to
Transportation: Transportation Finance

Original Reporting Date: 5/2/2011

Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Creation of Regional Airport Authorities

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
K-12 School Funding Adequacy

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Redesignation of Wisconsin ozone non-attainment counties

Action Intended To Affect: Rule (by a state agency)

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011

Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to
Wisconsin Health Plan

Action Intended To Affect: Legislative Matter

Reporting Date: 1/1/2011